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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a one-month Extension of Time, to and including March 5, 2002, be granted in which to respond to the NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION dated December 5, 2001, in the above-identified application.

Our check including the amount of \$110.00 is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

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